

## National Aeronautics and Space Administration

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the United States General Accounting Office prior to receipt of an Agency protest decision.

(4) When a potential bidder or offeror submits an Agency protest to NASA to the contracting officer or alternatively requests an independent review, the decision of the contracting officer or the independent review official shall be final and is not subject to any appeal or reconsideration within NASA.

[62 FR 11108, Mar. 11, 1997, as amended at 64 FR 36607, July 7, 1999; 67 FR 61519, Oct. 1, 2002; 69 FR 35271, June 24, 2004]

### **1833.106-70 Solicitation provision.**

Contracting officers shall insert the provision at 1852.233-70 in all solicitations.

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## **Subpart 1833.2—Disputes and Appeals**

### **1833.215 Contract clause.**

The contracting officer shall use the clause at FAR 52.233-1, Disputes, with its Alternate I whenever continued performance is vital to national security, the public health and welfare, important agency programs, or other essential supplies or services whose timely reprocurement from other sources would be impracticable.